IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND claims 1 and 24, as shown below; and

Please CANCEL claims 2-23, 25-34, and 36-47 without prejudice or disclaimer.

1.   (Currently Amended) A method, comprising:

establishing a mobile packet data connection for a subscriber;

establishing, over said established mobile packet data connection, a streaming connection comprising a continuous media stream configured for real-time playback between said subscriber and a streaming source;

terminating the streaming connection between said subscriber and said streaming source;

measuring a duration of said continuous media stream; and

charging said streaming connection based on said measured duration of said continuous media stream;

wherein said measuring the duration of said continuous media stream further comprises:

sending temporary stop information about a temporary stop of said continuous media stream,

based on said temporary stop information, halting temporarily the measuring of said duration of said continuous media stream,

sending restart information about a restart of said continuous media stream,

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based on said restart information, restarting the measuring of said duration of said continuous media stream, and

measuring the duration of said continuous media stream based on said temporarily halting and restarting of the measuring of said duration of said continuous media stream..

2-23 (Cancelled)

24.   (Previously Presented) A mobile packet radio system, comprising:

a streaming source;

a subscriber configured to receive streaming data from said streaming source;

a first establishment unit configured to establish a mobile packet data connection for said subscriber;

a second establishment unit configured to establish, over said established mobile packet data connection, a streaming connection comprising a continuous media stream configured for real-time playback between said subscriber and said streaming source;

a termination unit configured to terminate said streaming connection between said subscriber and said streaming source;

a measurement unit configured to measure a duration of said continuous media stream; and

a charger configured to charge said streaming connection based on said measured duration of said continuous media stream;

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wherein said measurement unit comprises:

a first identifier configured to identify a start and an end of said continuous

media stream based on a change of a state of said continuous media stream; and

a second identifier configured to identify a temporary stop of said

continuous media stream in response to a change of a state of said continuous

media stream

and wherein said measurement unit is configured to indicate a temporary break of

said duration of said continuous media stream in response to temporary stop information

about said temporary stop;

to continue the measurement of said duration of said continuous media stream in

response to restart information about a restart; and

to measure the duration of said continuous media stream based on said indication

of the temporary break and said restart of the measurement of the duration of said

continuous media stream.

25-47 (Cancelled)

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